

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 KUWAIT 01401 311137Z

10

ACTION PM-03

INFO OCT-01 NEA-09 ISO-00 MC-02 CIAE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00

SP-02 /024 W

----- 043628

R 311106Z MAR 75

FM AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

TO DA WASHDC//DALO-ILM/ILS//

INFO SECSTATE WASHDC 2627

SECDEF WASHDC//ISA//

USCINCEUR//ECJ4/7-SAME//

CDR AMC ALEX VA//AMCIL-O/MA//

CDR ARMCOM ROCK ISLAND IL

UNCLAS KUWAIT 1401

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: MASS, KU

SUBJ: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

1. DURING PERIOD 20-27 MAR 75, A VISIT TO US ARMY ARTILLERY UNITS IN GERMANY WAS MADE BY A GROUP OF KUWAITI ARTILLERY OFFICERS. PURPOSE OF TRIP WAS TO OBSERVE AND ASSESS SP ARTY WPNS IN US INVENTORY.

2. ON 30MAR75, DURING DISCUSSION WITH SR KUWAITI TEAM MEMBER, DOD REP WAS ASKED: (1) WHAT WILL THE REPLACEMENT WEAPON BE FOR THE 175MM GUN; (2) IS THERE ANY PROJECTED REPLACEMENT FOR THE 8IN HOW; (3) SHOULD THE GOK DECIDE TO PURCHASE THE 155MM SP HOW, WOULD THEY BE ABLE TO PURCHASE THE NEW LONG TUBE MODEL; (4) WHAT TYPE OF AMMUNITION WOULD THEY BE PERMITTED TO PURCHASE; AND (5) WHAT IS STATUS OF DEVELOPMENT OF NEW LONG TUBE 155MM HOW? REQUEST YOU PROVIDE ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS LISTED ABOVE ASAP SO INFO MAY BE PROVIDED GOK PERSONNEL. FURTHER, REQUEST YOU PROVIDE CURRENT DELIVERY LEAD TIME FOR 155 SP WEAPONS. INFORMATION IS NEEDED FOR DISCUSSION PURPOSES ONLY. THERE IS NO RPT NO REQUIREMENT FOR DEVELOPMENT OF FMS CASE AT THIS TIME. STOLTZFUS

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: MILITARY PROCUREMENT, MILITARY VISITS, INFORMATION CONTROL
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 31 MAR 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975KUWAIT01401
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750111-0020
From: KUWAIT
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t1975033/aaaaabry.tel
Line Count: 52
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION PM
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 1
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: hartledg
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 20 JUN 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <20 JUN 2003 by SilvaL0>; APPROVED <19 FEB 2004 by hartledg>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION
TAGS: MASS, KU
To: n/a
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006